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City of Amesbury Lakes and Waterways Commission

Meeting Agenda for 10-21-2021 7:00 PM

This meeting will be conducted under the Act Extending Certain COVID-19 Measures Adopted During the State of Emergency, signed into law on June 16, 2021 by Governor Baker.

Location: Virtual

Dial in: (224) 501-3412 **Access Code:** 445-869-381

To submit a public comment, you can email the chair ahead of time tpmpmurphy@gmail.com or dial-in to the meeting.

I. Administrative Business

- A. Call to Order
- B. Provide for minutes
- C. Review of past minutes (July)

II. Engineer's update

- A. Engineer's report
- B. Update on Lake Gardner (See IX. C)
- C. Recent correspondence

III. Harbormaster Update

- A. Status of Harbor Master Position
- B. Harbor Management Plan
- C. Public Dock on Merrimac

IV. Conservation Commission Activity Update

V. Current Business

- A. Membership status
 - i. Current Status—Chair issue
 - ii. Membership Requests pending from Mayor's Office
 - iii. Conflict Acknowledgement Status
- B. Waterbody Assessment**
 - i. Status of Web-ready version.**
 - ii. Review and Discuss Waterbody Assessment Matrix**
 - iii. Review and discuss recommendation drafts.**
 - iv. Discuss Kate's hydrologic budget.**

C. CEI Powerpoint (Cindy) status

- D. Weed Management Grants (?)

VI. Future Business

- A. Lakes and Waterways Mission Review**

- i. Bylaws: Revision of Section 2 sent to Mayor's Office**
 - ii. Develop foundation for water body assessment based on historical data**
 - iii. Recommend projects and priorities to Mayor
 - B. Lawn Care Companies and fertilizers and herbicides near water bodies
 - C. With ConComm—Home owners' guidelines (pointing to resources)
 - i. Review Lake Attitash Welcome Packet.
- VII. Waterbodies Status
 - A. Merrimac River
 - i. Sewer Overflow efforts status
 - ii. PFAS Tracking (Local, State, National)
 - B. Powow River
 - i. Water Quality Testing issue
 - C. Lake Gardner
 - i. Lake Gardner Beach Access proposed alternatives status**
 - ii. Lake Gardner Beach Plan: Sand Replenishment NOI status**
 - iii. Lake Gardner Improvement Association updates
 - D. Lake Attitash Association and Lake Status
 - i. Updates: Annual Meeting
 - ii. Request for change in order of conditions
 - iii. Water Testing
 - E. Clarks Pond
 - i. Access issue
 - ii. Inspection this year (in August?)
 - F. Tuxbury Pond
 - G. Meadowbrook Pond
 - H. Patten's Pond
 - I. Park Pond
 - J. Bailey Pond
- VIII. Review Action Items
- IX. Next meeting: November 18, 2021.